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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

CONNORS et al.

Application No. 09/091,508

Filed: October 30, 1998

For: SEPARATION ARRANGEMENT



Art Unit: 1723

Examiner: M. Ocampo

REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF CHANGES TO THE DRAWINGS

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

The Examiner is requested to approve the changes to Figures 8, 13(a), 13(b1) and 13(b2), as shown in red on the attached sheets of drawings.

Respectfully submitted,

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.110

EXPEDITED PROCEDURE

EXAMINING GROUP

1723

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to an office action in the subject application.

☐ Applicants claim small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.27.

☒ Petition for Extension of Time

- ☐ Applicants petition for a extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136, the fee for which is \$0.00 (enclosed).  
☒ Applicants believe that no petition for an extension of time is necessary. However, to the extent that such petition is deemed necessary, Applicants hereby petition for a sufficient extension of time to render the present submission timely. Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1216 for the appropriate petition fee.

☒ No additional claim fee is required.

☒ Other: Request for Approval of Drawing Amendments.

The claim fee has been calculated as shown below:

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INDEPENDENT				MINUS		=	x 42=	\$	x 84=	\$
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- ☒ Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.  
☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

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